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**V.**

**JUDGE JOHN HANNAH**

**UNSEALABLE**

**Defendants.**

**UNDEFEAT**

Pursuant to the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3730(b)(4), the United States notifies the Court

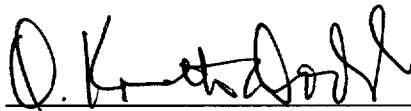
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Respectfully submitted,

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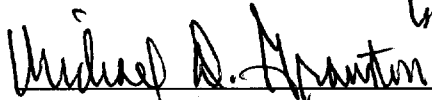
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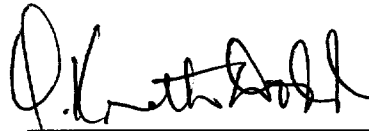
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that the foregoing **United States' Notice of Election to Intervene** and proposed Order were served via first-class mail, postage prepaid, on this 28th day of March, 2000, on:

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